

Health Insurance

You have **60 days** from your entry upon date to sign-up for a health insurance plan. If you don't make an election, you are considered to have declined coverage and you must wait until the next open season to enroll.

VERY IMPORTANT: Enrollment is not retroactive, and cannot be made effective the day you enter on duty. The earliest that your health insurance can possibly become effective is the beginning of your second pay period.

The Federal Employees Health Benefits Program (FEHB) is one of the most valuable benefits of the Federal employment, but coverage is not automatic – you must select one of the 16 available health plans from one of 10 different companies in order to be covered.

For more information on the FEHB Program, [click here](#).

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